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Ms. Laura E. Sinram Senior Campaign Finance Analyst Federal Election Commission 999 E Street NW Washington, DC 20463

RE:Ohio Republican Party State Central & Executive Committee Identification No. C00162339

## Dear Laura:

This correspondence is in response to your audit letter dated January 22, 2013 requiring a response by February 26, 2013. Your letter pertains to the Amended July Monthly Report, for the period of 06/01/12- 06/30/12. This correspondence, along with the associated amendments referred to herein, should constitute a complete response to the issues. In the event you need further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

- 1. The invoices related to the additional debt that was reported on the amended report were received after the original report was filed. There was also question about whether the debts were actually Ohio GOP debts or debts for another entity. Once those questions were answered then the report was amended to add the debts.
- 2.The contribution which exceeds the limit was part of a joint fundraiser disbursement. The treasurer for the joint fundraiser has been notified and will let me know what action to take. For now the contribution listed on 06/04/2012 has been reduced to \$5,000.00. There are sufficient contributions associated with this joint fundraising check.

The amended report has been filed.

Please let me know if you have any additional questions, or need any additional information.

Sincerely,